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TAXATION AND PROSPERITY.

William O. Mathews Points Out the Destructive Power of Taxation. In a recent address on "Taxation and Prosperity," William O. Mathews of Cleveland, secretary of the Ohio Tax League, gave utterance to some timely sentiments.

"It has been truly said the power to tax includes the power to destroy," said Mr. Mathews. "In the case of the individual," he continued, "or in the case of the corporation, or in the case of the city or state, the principles involved in the receipt and the disbursement of money for legitimate expenditure are the same. It is easily understood how, in the case of an individual or a corporation, the soundness or unsoundness of the system by which this money is raised and expended is of vital importance in the development of the individual or of



WM. O. MATHEWS of Cleveland.

the corporation. It must be equally clear to us that the soundness or unsoundness of the system of providing for the receipts and expenditures for a state is equally important to the growth and proper development of any subdivision of a state.

"Every state in the Union is hard at work on tax problems, and Ohio must soon witness a universal uprising against a system, conceived by public writers and statesmen everywhere, to be as bad as the worst."

"We have in force in Ohio a tax system which is but a relic of the day when the world was agricultural. The General Property Tax was the first development, and at first served fairly well the demands of the time. But history shows that the General Property Tax decayed. The whole world met the difficulties and the system has been practically abolished in other countries as being in no way adequate to our present complicated conditions. The United States is the only great nation that is today holding out against the warnings of history, but the day is slowly arriving when we shall reconstruct our system. When that time comes we shall take care to guard, as far as possible, consistency with our principles outlined in this paper, which are as unalterable as the rising sun. There can be no doubt of the disastrous effects on the progress and prosperity of our whole state of our present system of tax laws. Who, among us, does not know that hundreds of millions of capital have been taken away from Ohio on account of oppressive tax laws? Who is there who is not ready to believe that as much more capital has been prevented from locating here? What inducement is there for capitalists to come here where they must immediately begin a system of perjury and evasion in order to secure what their conscience tells them is but just? Plenty of capital means increased prosperity; loss of capital means less activity in all lines. A great many men get along as best they can, but as many more make their home elsewhere, who might otherwise be with us. Our tax laws are not adequate in that they repel instead of attract capital."

"Tax laws should be framed with the end in view to attract capital. The interest of all classes throughout the state is the same. The prosperity of the city creates a better market for the farmer; the greater prosperity of the farmer increases the trade of the city. Increased activity brings larger business houses. This means increased opportunities and more wealth for all."

"As to what the remedy shall be is not within the scope of this discussion. Let us first be sure that we understand the nature of our troubles."

MINNESOTA'S EXPERIENCE

Carl L. Wallace, chairman of the Tax Committee of the Minnesota house of representatives, brings a tax message to the people of Ohio. Mr. Wallace had been in the forefront in the campaign to secure the adoption of a constitutional amendment for Minnesota, and, since its adoption, has been a leader in the work of enacting laws under the provisions of the amendment.

The amendment practically does for Minnesota what the constitutional amendment of 1903 (and which was defeated) proposed for Ohio—permits the classification of property for taxation.

Mr. Wallace says: In 1857 Minnesota was about to come into the Union and the wise men were gathered together in a constitutional convention; they looked around and about them and they saw that the latest, most approved, up-to-date constitution was the one that had been adopted by the state of Ohio in 1851, and they round out and gathered it in bodily. Now, I can't say here that one good turn deserves another, because I don't think Ohio did us a good turn in that instance; but at any rate, we copied Ohio, and now for gracious sake, Ohio, do turn around and copy Minnesota by amending your constitution on the subject of taxation, as we have done.

ATTORNEY GENERAL ELLIS SAYS:

"The Tax Commission is anxious to hear from anybody who has something to say about taxation in Ohio."

"We want to hear from everybody—we will be glad to hear from citizens, either in person or by mail. We will be particularly pleased to have persons appear before the commission at its regular sessions. The time and place of meetings may be ascertained by writing to us."

If you want to communicate with the commission, address as follows: TAX COMMISSION OF OHIO, State House, Columbus, Ohio.

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LECTURE AT M. E. CHURCH

"The lecture, 'Lost in the Crowd,' given by B. F. Reading at the Keller M. E. church, was entertaining and instructive. It was full of practical thought, enlivened by wit, humor and sentiment." J. L. Keller and F. B. McClelland. Wednesday evening, Apr. 24, at M. E. church.

"Larue: B. F. Reading lectured at the M. E. church last evening on the subject 'Lost in the Crowd.' The reverend gentleman proved his ability to entertain his audience as a lecturer as well as a minister. Those who missed this lecture missed a rare treat and we hope that he may return and deliver the lecture again, when a crowded house will surely await him."—Larue Weekly News. At the Methodist church, Wednesday evening, April 24

—Rawson: "The patrons of our lecture course were thoroughly pleased with Rev. B. F. Reading's return to Rawson. His vivid eloquence sustains the deepest interest to the close. Many lingered to congratulate Mr. Reading personally and words of commendation are heard on every side. We all wish him eminent success on the lecture platform as well as in the pulpit. Prof. Fred S. Baird, Sup't. of Public Schools." Wednesday evening, April 24 at M. E. church.

GREAT YEAR FOR FLYING.

America to Exceed Other Lands in Ascensions, Says Leo Stevens.

I am more than pleased with the aeronautic achievements of 1906 and feel that Americans have outstripped competitors in foreign lands, writes Leo Stevens in the New York World.

Within one year the motor has grown wonderfully, and we have now sufficient power to drive a giant craft.

Next year there will be three types of air machines—the aeroplane, the controllable balloon and a combination of both.

I believe that the machine with balloon attachment will be the most important, while the lighter machines will be utilized for pleasure and for carrying light weights. Changes in the balloon will not be many nor very significant. Doubtless the balloon will be made to point more steadily and to cut the winds with much greater resistance.

The experience of the better class of aeronauts during the past season has had the effect of interesting many wealthy men who are already preparing for flights next season. The government is also planning tests during 1907. Army officers throughout the United States are procuring their own balloons for observation purposes and getting accustomed to the new mode of travel. The winning this year by an American of the cup offered by France has resulted in arrangements for a great race in St. Louis during the coming year, which will bring together the greatest number of air travelers ever seen at one time in the history of the world.

Americans will see far more ascensions next year in the United States by all classes of machinists than France or any other country has ever known. The day is not far distant when all large American cities will have their balloon factories, and air transportation will become as common as automobile travel is now.

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